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For: PL/I METAMODEL

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Terminal Disclaimer in the above-identified application. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this Submission is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The undersigned, on behalf of the petitioner, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, represents that the petitioner, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION is the owner of the entire right, title and interest of: (1) U.S. Application No. 09/849,105, filed on May 4, 2001 for IMS-MFS (MESSAGE FORMAT SERVICE) METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 19 to April 23, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001 at Reel 011835, Frame 0573; (2) U.S. Application No. 09/849,190, filed on May 4, 2001 for HIGH LEVEL ASSEMBLER METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 19, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001 at Reel 011834, Frame 0787, which issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,775,680 on August 10, 2004; (3) U.S. Application No. 09/849,377, filed on May 4, 2001 for TYPE DESCRIPTOR METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 19 to May 2, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001 at Reel 011835, Frame 0561; (4) U.S. Application No. 09/849,813 by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 19 to May 2, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001, at Reel 011835, Frame 0594; (5) U.S. Application No. 09/849,816, filed on May 4, 2001 for IMS TRANSACTION MESSAGES-METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof

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executed on April 19 to April 23, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001 at Reel 011835, Frame 0554; and (6) U.S. Application No. 10/310,343, filed on December 4, 2002 for TYPE DESCRIPTOR LANGUAGE (TDLANGUAGE) METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on December 3, 2002, recorded on December 5, 2002 at Reel 013576, Frame 0158, as well as the entire right, title and interest in the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563, filed on May 4, 2001 for PL/I METAMODEL by virtue of an Assignment from all of the inventors thereof executed on April 19, 2001, recorded on May 4, 2001 at Reel 011791, Frame 0245.

Petitioner hereby certifies that the above-mentioned Assignments have been reviewed and to the best of petitioner's knowledge and belief, title is in petitioner who is seeking to take this action.

Petitioner hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563 which would extend beyond the expiration of the full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer of any patent issuing from U.S. Application Nos. 09/849,105; 09/849,190 (having issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,775,680 on August 10, 2004); 09/849,377; 09/849,813; 09/849,816 and 10/310,343, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to any patent issuing from U.S. Application Nos. 09/849,105; 09/849,190 (having issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,775,680 on August 10, 2004); 09/849,377; 09/849,813; 09/849,816 and 10/310,343 shall be the same as the legal title to said patent issuing from the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563, this agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563 and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

Petitioner does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-captioned U.S. Application No. 09/849,563 prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer of any patent issuing from U.S. Application Nos. 09/849,105; 09/849,190 (having issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,775,680 on August 10, 2004); 09/849,377; 09/849,813; 09/849,816 and 10/310,343 in the event that any patent issuing from

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U.S. Application Nos. 09/849,105; 09/849,190 (having issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,775,680 on August 10, 2004); 09/849,377; 09/849,813; 09/849,816 and 10/310,343 later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(a), has all claims cancelled by a Reexamination Certificate, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

The undersigned is an attorney of record.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Billy Carter Raulerson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. Below the signature is a horizontal line.

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